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Dear Examiner Ewoldt:

Attached please find a copy of the "Appointment of Associate Attorney Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.34" in connection with the above-identified patent application.

Thank you very much for your help.



Elie H. Gendloff, Ph.D., Esq.

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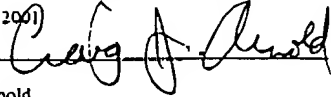
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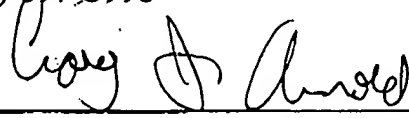
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Respectfully submitted,

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